IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

(*Special Original Jurisdiction*)

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FRIDAY, THE THIRTYIETH DAY OF SEPTEMBER

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P R E S E N T

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K.C.BHANU

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WP.No.21327 OF 2005

Between:

Sadanapalli Bhimaraju

and Ors. .... Petitioners

Versus

The Registrar of Co-operative Societies,

Government of Andhra Pradesh,

Hyderabad & Ors. ... Respondents

Counsel for the Petitioner: Mr.K.S. MURTHY

Counsel for the Respondent: GP for Co-operation

O R D E R :

This writ petition is filed seeking mandamus to declare the action of the respondents in not permitting the tribals to become members of Addatigala Primary Agricultural Co-operative Credit Society as unconstitutional and consequently direct the respondents to conduct elections after enrolling tribal farmers who are eligible and fulfill other conditions.

The main grievance of the petitioners is that they wanted to become members of the co-operative society and their names are found in the list of farmers and cultivators, who have the eligibility to become co-operative society members, if they pay the money before 05-9-2005. Therefore, the petitioners have submitted their representation to the Commissioner on 06-9-2005 and till this date appropriate action has not been taken on the representation of the petitioners.

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Government Pleader for Co-operation.

Without entering into the merits of the case, I deem it appropriate to direct the petitioners to file necessary application before the Divisional Co-operative Officer,

Peddapuram, East Godavari district. On filing necessary application, the Divisional Co-operative Officer, Peddapuram, shall take appropriation action on merits and in accordance with law.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of at the admission stage. No costs.

SEPTEMBER 30th, 2005. ----------

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